



"INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS. NEUTRAL IN NONE."

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## IN THE POLITICAL FIELD.

## Congressional and Legislative Candidates Named and to Be Named.

## Colonel Noonan Prevails Over Allan Durborow in the Fifth District.

## Goldzier, McGann and Ryan Without Opposition—Frank Lawler Will Run Independent.

Edward T. Noonan, who has just been nominated for Congress in the Fifth District, is one of the prominent Democratic leaders in the West Division. He is a State Senator, a member of Gov. Altgeld's staff with the rank of Colonel, and he has a profitable law business. It was a pretty fight between Col. Noonan and Congressman Durborow. Both are unmarried and both move in the social "400" of the West Side. Col. Noonan fits his military title well. He is considerable of an athlete, and he rides a horse like a heavy dragon. He was born at Macomb, Ill., Oct. 23, 1861. His father was an officer under Sherman and was killed at the battle of Atlanta. In 1868 Edward came to Chicago with his mother. He attended the public schools, graduating from the high school. He studied law at the University of Michigan, and after his graduation there continued his work in the law offices of Judge Van H. Higgins and C. C. Bonney. He was admitted to the bar in 1882. He has been engaged in some notable cases and has a good reputation as a lawyer. He was for two years attorney for the West Park Board. He was elected to the State Senate in 1890, and was one of the "101" who elected Senator Palmer. He is the author of several important laws, among them the mechanics' lien law, the anti-sweatshop law and the building association laws, providing for the regulation of foreign or national associations and compulsory inspection by the State Auditor of local associations. He also created the incorporating laws for Newberry and Crerar libraries, as well as acts relating to the West Park Board. He belongs to the Ashland and Sheridan Clubs, and to several other organizations. He has given to economic matters special attention, and has visited most of the important cities of this country, Mexico and Europe to study the conditions of the laboring classes. He resides with his mother at 308 Washington boulevard.

Fifth District Democrats decided Tuesday morning that they prefer the brunette type of manly beauty to the strawberry blonde by nominating Senator Noonan by acclamation as their candidate for Congress. This will be a severe blow to Allan C. Durborow, who returned to Washington a few days ago under the impression that the nomination was as good as his.

He told his friends that Noonan had withdrawn, but the young statesman with the jet-black halo had been playing possum.

The ceremony of putting Mr. Durborow's aspirations to sleep was performed in short order Tuesday morning at Bricklayers' Hall, Peoria and Monroe streets. There was a contest for the Eleventh Ward seats, but it never had a chance to materialize. The convention was called to order shortly after 10 o'clock by Congressional Committeeman George McConnell of the Eleventh Ward, and Ald. Brennan of the Eighteenth Ward at once placed Senator Noonan in nomination. Committeeman Powers of the Seventeenth Ward and Ald. Stanley Kunz of the Sixteenth Ward followed suit and as these

three wards had a majority of the convention the further proceedings interested Mr. Durborow's friends no more.

They had the Thirteenth Ward and had intended to make a fight for the Eleventh, but it wasn't worth fighting for at that stage of the game, so Michael C. McDonald moved that the nomination of Edward T. Noonan be made by acclamation, which was done, and Durborow's name was not presented to the convention.

George McConnell of the Eleventh and Frank Kinnear of the Thirteenth Wards were re-elected Congressional committeemen, and the convention adjourned.

There is "music in the air" in the Fourth Congressional District. Ex-Congressman Lawler has already obtained many signatures to his petition as an independent candidate, and declares he will remain in the fight to a finish. Under these circumstances the Republicans see a chance of possible success for their man, and are talking of putting Thos. C. MacMillan in the field. Mr. MacMillan made the race for Congress two years ago in the Third District against Mr. Durborow, but was overwhelmed in the landslide. The Republicans think it would be a graceful recognition of Mr. MacMillan's services to the party now to put him in nomination in the reorganized district.

Hon. Clayton E. Crafts is not a candidate for Congress in the Second District. He will be renominated and elected to the lower house, as the Democracy will again need his valued services for Speaker. They can't "keep house" very well without Crafts.

Mr. John Meyer, who has so ably represented the interests of the Republican party in the past at Springfield, will surely be re-elected this fall. John is a born fighter, and should the Republicans be in a majority will be a formidable candidate for Speaker of the House. His ability and qualifications are recognized by all who know him.

Mr. Daniel G. Gerst seems to have the call for the Republican nomination to the Legislature from the Eleventh Senatorial District. Mr. Gerst is in the front rank of Chicago's bright lawyers, and is made of the kind of timber that Cook County citizens should be proud of being represented by in the lower house.

Hon. T. E. Ryan's nomination in the Fourth has stirred up Frank Lawler and his friends who claim they were completely ignored at the primaries, which were of the free-for-all character. Mr. Lawler says he will run as an independent. The petition to put his name on the ticket is being circulated and signed as numerous as the famous document he filed with the President when he went after the Chicago Post-office. He says "Tim Ryan ran things to suit himself, and despite the fact he has lived in the Nineteenth Ward for forty-two years, he could not find the polling places nor could he ascer-

tain the names of the delegates from the ward that nominated Ryan."

Hon. A. W. Pulver, the well-known German lawyer, will be the Republican nominee for Congress in the Seventh District.

For Congress, Fifth District Republicans will probably nominate George E. White, the lumberman. He served a term in the State Senate a number of years ago. Ephraim Banning, a lawyer, also wants the nomination.

A Washington special to the Tribune says: Representative Durborow was stunned so completely by the news from Chicago that his name had not even been mentioned in the nominating convention held to-day he could not express an opinion as to the causes which had led to such a rebuke. There was no explanation, for a Congressman who had received a majority of upward of 10,000 at the last election and was supposed to be more popular with the younger element of his constituents than any other man in the district, yet he was thrown down apparently without rhyme or reason. Members of the delegation, however, declared the "Chicago Adonis" had been somewhat prepared for the blow by the result of the primaries. Still they thought it a pretty severe arraignment of Mr. Durborow that his name should not be mentioned in the nominating convention.

Very different, however, were the feelings of Messrs. Goldzier and McGann when the correspondent for the Tribune met them in the House lobby this afternoon. Mr. Goldzier exhibited in the most exulting manner the following telegram:

You have been renominated by acclamation on the first ballot. Congratulations. Everything quiet and peaceful in Chicago. JOHN P. HOPKINS.

Hardly had this intelligence permeated the corridor when a message was handed Congressman McGann, who was reclining on one of the sofas. He opened the envelope and a smile spread over his face as he read the following:

You have been renominated by acclamation. THOMAS KENOR.

When he recovered from the effects of this good news Mr. McGann said his advice were to the effect that "Packer" Wilson would be the nominee against him this fall. So far as Mr. Goldzier's Republican opponents

are concerned it was his impression that one of three Republicans would be chosen to contest with him—George S. Willits, Hempstead Washburne, or George E. Adams.

The Democrats of the First Senatorial District will nominate that popular and stalwart First Ward statesman, Mr. T. J. McNally, for State Senator. Mr. McNally is strong with the people and will no doubt be elected by an overwhelming majority.

Hon. Frank D. Thomason, the eminent solicitor of patents and counselor in patent causes, may be the Republican nominee for Congress in the Second District.

For Congress in the Seventh District Mr. A. W. Pulver, of the Twenty-fifth Ward, has at last consented to be a candidate. He is a very able lawyer and popular man generally. He has lived in Lake View a long time, always taking an active part in politics, but never before a candidate himself for any office. The nearest he ever came to it was two years ago, when he was elected a delegate to the national Republican convention. Dr. Hamilton, of the Marine Hospital, is also a candidate. Lake View thus has two candidates, and the same is true of Evanston, where Mayor Mann and Edward Taylor, long the Secretary of the Lincoln Park Board, are rival candidates. The only other known candidate is Senator Coon, of Lake County, whose position is somewhat tentative. He admits that Cook County is entitled to the nomination if it can agree on a man. In this case, as Cook County people and the delegates from the city wards are solid and unanimous for Mr. Pulver, there seems to be no doubt but that he will be nominated by acclamation. The district is made up as follows: All of the Twenty-fifth Ward except that part south of Diversey street and west of Halsted, fourteen delegates; all of the Twenty-sixth Ward north of Belmont avenue, eight delegates; Twenty-seventh Ward, seven delegates; Fourteenth Ward, sixteen delegates; Fifteenth Ward, sixteen delegates; Evanston, seven delegates; the Town of New Trier, two delegates; the towns of Niles, Northfield, Wheeling, Palatine, and Barrington, each one delegate; the County of Lake, fifteen

delegates. The district is overwhelmingly Republican. Even on the vote of 1892 a nomination would be equivalent to an election.

The Sixth District consists of the Twentieth to Twenty-fourth Wards, inclusive, that is the entire North Town, and a small part of the south end of the town of Lake View. This district went Democratic by a large majority two years ago, and Republican by a no less large majority at the town elections of this spring. It is fighting ground, with the odds slightly in favor of the Republicans. The Democrats have Congressman Goldzier for their candidate. The Republicans were divided four years ago with two warring factions, one favoring the retention of George E. Adams in Congress, the other the substitution of George S. Willits. This feeling has died out. Either candidate would cordially support the other now, but neither wants it. Mr. Willits is unwilling to leave the active practice of his profession, and Mr. Adams has lost his taste for Congressional life. He may be urged into acceptance. Another name mentioned in this connection is Dr. Truman W. Miller, one of the ablest and most widely known physicians in the city. Dr. Miller has always been an ardent and active Republican, but never an office seeker.

In the Nineteenth Senatorial District the Republicans are at sea regarding a candidate for Senator. James Frake, I. H. Himes and Attorney D. A. Campbell are all in the field, with Mr. Frake evidently in the lead. For the lower house Daniel Gould Gerst and Noyes L. Thompson will without doubt be the nominees.

At a meeting of representative Republicans of Kenwood, held at 7 East 47th street, on Thursday evening, John C. F. Royer was unanimously indorsed as a candidate for the Legislature in the Fifth Senatorial District.

At a meeting of the Twelfth Precinct of the Eleventh Ward H. L. Thornburg was chosen as delegate and Dr. W. H. Morgan alternate to the Congressional convention, and on resolution instructed to vote for George E. White for Congressman from the Fifth District.



HON. EDWARD T. NOONAN,  
Democratic Candidate for Congress, 5th District.

## PULLMAN FIGHTS BY PROXY.

## The Most Thoroughly Hated and Despised Man in the Country

## Skulks in His Seaside Cottage and Announces the Public Be D—d.

## Greedy, Selfish and Obstinate, He Will Learn Nothing from Recent Events.

Geo. M. Pullman is the most thoroughly hated and despised man in the country. He is persona non grata in every railroad office in the United States, and news of his prospective arrival will break up a directors' meeting quicker than the advent of a smallpox patient would.

What manner of man is George M. Pullman, that he skulks in his seaside cottage while other men—disinterested and innocent parties—struggle to extinguish the conflagration that he has started? Why doesn't he come out to Chicago and take up his share of the responsibility? By what right does he throw upon the people of this town the burden of his greed, stubbornness, and cowardice, while he sits rubbing his hands together a thousand miles away, discoursing imbecile platitudes to reporters and announcing in effect that the whole country may be d—d before he will lift a finger? Is he really a man or a mere aggregation of stupidity, poltroonery, obstinacy, and unearned dividends?

Archbishop Feehan prepared a letter which was read in all Roman Catholic churches Sunday advising the people of his communion who may live near the scenes of riot to remain away from the railroad tracks and to refrain from gathering at any point where disturbances are in progress. This action is thoughtful and wise. It would be well if all other ecclesiastical authorities and all ministers of religion would give their congregations similar advice.

No man with a spark of courage—moral or physical—will raise an issue and then run away and leave others to fight it out. The spectacle of George M. Pullman sneaking out of Chicago and throwing the burden and danger of his folly upon his understrappers is disgusting and pitiful. He sits in his comfortable villa at Elberon, discussing the situation with the gravity and wisdom of Bottom the weaver, while his clerks and subordinates in the Pullman Building mount their stools under the protection of United States troops camped on the lake front. That is Pullmanism—paternalism and philanthropy—up to date.

An unauthenticated report comes from the East to the effect that the Pullman Company will, when the present trouble is over, remove its whole plant from the town of Pullman to some place far away from any city or large town. Such a proposition is entirely in line with the unwise course of the Pullman Company from the beginning, and it shows that the head of that concern has learned nothing from recent events. The idea that men will starve to death or submit to enslavement any more readily in the country than in the city is characteristic of the satrap, but it is not the less false. The problem will not be solved that way. It will be settled only by the renunciation of dual powers by the head of the Pullman Company. No imperium in imperio can exist in this country.

James Pease, of Lake View, the candidate for Sheriff on the Republi-

can ticket, is a strong man. His record in last spring's campaign for Assessor of Lake View showed that to be a fact.

Mr. Pease is a well-known business man of Lake View. He has been actively engaged in public affairs for many years, and is a Republican of strength and resources.

Mr. Pease was born in Kenosha, Wis., forty-three years ago. There he received his early education in the common schools. In the year 1867 he came to Chicago and accepted a position as bookkeeper for a wholesale flour house until the big fire of 1871. Following that period he engaged in the painting and decorating business for himself, and his success has been continuous.

In 1886 Mr. Pease was elected a member of the Lake View Board of Education, and served as Chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee of that body. He has been largely instrumental in building and improving many of the present school buildings of Lake View. He has held the position of assessor for nine years, with an increased majority at each election. His first majority was only 67, but at his last return to the office he went in with the handsome majority of 4,100. He is a member of the Knights of Pythias, Royal League, Royal Arcanum, National Union, the Foresters, Chicago Athletic Club, Marquette Club and several other organizations.

Mr. Pease has shown his capacity for public affairs also in his work during the past two years as a member of the Republican State Central Committee.

Congressman Julius S. Goldzier, of the Sixth District, was renominated Tuesday morning at the convention held in North Side Turner Hall. William Henshaw was elected Chairman and John Dougherty Secretary of the convention. John Sullivan, of the Twenty-second Ward, in a brief speech complimentary to Mr. Goldzier, moved that he be unanimously renominated. There were a dozen seconds to this motion, and the nomination followed with a cheer. Then Robert E. Burke, of the Twenty-second Ward, and Joseph Martin, of the Twenty-fourth Ward, previously agreed upon, were elected congressional committeemen of the Sixth District by acclamation.

The Republican primaries in the Fifth Congressional District will be held July 20 and the convention July 21, and the Republican primaries in the Seventh Congressional District Aug. 6 and the convention the next day. The Republican primaries in the Thirteenth Senatorial District will take place July 21 and the convention in the evening, at No. 832 South Halsted street.

That well known and popular Seventh Ward Democrat, Mr. Robert Brown, will undoubtedly be nominated for the Legislature in the Thirteenth District. Robert will make a "humming" canvass.

Republicans of the Twentieth Ward held a meeting and indorsed Isadore Plotke as Representative from the Sixth Senatorial District.